



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

**Application No.:** 10/725,479      **Examiner:** K. M. Lewis

**Filing Date:** December 3, 2003      **Art Unit:** 3743

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**For:** **WOUND DRESSING HAVING A FACING SURFACE WITH  
VARIABLE TACKINESS**

**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**  
**OF DECEMBER 15, 2005**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This is responsive to the Office action dated December 15, 2005 in the above application. In view of the following amendments and remarks, reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

A petition to extend the period for reply by one month is concurrently filed.

**AMENDMENT**

**In the Claims**

The claims are amended as shown on the following pages under the heading AMENDMENT TO THE CLAIMS. The list shows the status of all claims presently in the application and is intended to supersede all prior versions of the claims in the application. Any cancellation of claims is made without prejudice or disclaimer.